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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Present Application:**

Applicant : Howard C. Kirsch Attorney Docket No. : 501214.02 (30204/US/2)  
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Title : SYSTEM AND METHOD TO AVOID VOLTAGE READ ERRORS IN OPEN DIGIT LINE  
ARRAY DYNAMIC RANDOM ACCESS MEMORIES

**Prior Application:**

Examiner : Trong Q. Phan  
Art Unit : 2818  
Serial No. : 10/231,680

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Patent Application  
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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 5 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.